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In re Application of
Barend Visser
Application No. 09/914,199
Filed: March 5, 2002
Attorney Docket No. P-1701

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the "Request for Refund", filed July 8, 2005, which is treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.181.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.181 is **GRANTED**.

In response to a non-Final Office Action mailed February 23, 2005, a response in the form of an amendment was filed June 7, 2005, but without the benefits of an extension of time request or fee. On June 15, 2005 however, to make the June 7, 2005 response timely and to avoid abandonment, petitioner filed a request for a one month extension of time with the appropriate fees.

As indicated by petitioner, a review of the finance records reveals that a one month extension of time had been charged to petitioner's deposit account, at the large entity fee amount of \$120.00 in order to make the response timely.

However, subsequent to the filing of the instant petition, the finance records were corrected on August 11, 2005 and the large entity fee amount of \$120.00 for the one month extension of time was credited back to petitioner's deposit account. That fee was a duplicate payment in view of petitioner's June 15, 2005 extension of time request, and thus not necessary.

No further action is needed in this regard since petitioner's deposit account had already been credited. This decision is issued for the purposes of making the record complete.

This matter is being referred to the Publishing Division.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned Petitions Attorney at (571) 272-3212.

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